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AMENDMENT/REPLY

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment/Reply is in response to the Office Action dated June 25, 2007.

Please accept the enclosed petition for an extension of time, and charge the petition fee and any fees to process this Amendment, or credit any over-payments that may apply, to Deposit Account No. 50-4363.

Please amend the above-identified patent application by amending claims 1 and 11. Please cancel claims 12 and 20. Please add new claims 21-26.